



IFW
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent Application of: **Kuei-Wu Huang, et al.**

Serial No.: **10/687,713**

Group Art Unit: **1765**

Filed: **October 17, 2003**

Examiner: **L. Vinh**

For: **SURFACE TREATED LOW-K DIELECTRIC AS DIFFUSION BARRIER FOR
COPPER METALLIZATION**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed for filing are:

Response to Restriction Requirement

Please charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 04-1679.
This transmittal is submitted in duplicate.

Return Postcard

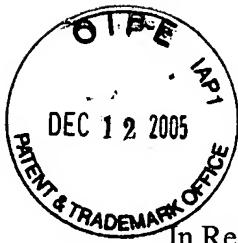
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING, 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)	
I certify that this correspondence and the enclosures mentioned therein are being deposited by First Class U.S. Mail with sufficient postage on the date shown below, addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
<i>Richard A. Paikoff</i>	
Richard A. Paikoff, Reg. No. 34,892	12/7/05
Date	

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 12/7/05

Richard A. Paikoff
Richard A. Paikoff
Registration No. 34,892
Duane Morris LLP
30 South 17th Street
Philadelphia, PA 19103-4196
Telephone: (215) 979-1853
mail to: rapaikoff@duanemorris.com

Docket No.: N1085-00184 (TSMC2002-1327)
PHI\1516272.1



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Patent Application of: Kuei-Wu Huang, et al.

Serial No.: 10/687,713

Group Art Unit: 1765

Filed: October 17, 2003

Examiner: L. Vinh

For: SURFACE TREATED LOW-K DIELECTRIC AS DIFFUSION BARRIER FOR
COPPER METALLIZATION

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING, 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a) I certify that this correspondence and the enclosures mentioned therein are being deposited by First Class U.S. Mail with sufficient postage on the date shown below, addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.
<i>Richard A. Paikoff</i> Richard A. Paikoff, Reg. No. 34,892 12/7/05 Date

Sir:

Responsive to the restriction requirement mailed November 7, 2005, Applicants hereby
elect to prosecute Group I, claims 1-30. This election is made with traverse.

This election is also made without prejudice to Applicants' rights to pursue the non-
elected claims in one or more continuing applications.

Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 12/7/05

Richard A. Paikoff
Richard A. Paikoff
Registration No. 34,892
Duane Morris LLP
30 South 17th Street
Philadelphia, PA 19103-4196
Telephone: (215) 979-1853
mail to: rapaikoff@duanemorris.com

Docket No.: N1085-00184 (TSMC2002-1327)